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Dear Examiner:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.97-1.98, Applicants hereby notify the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office of the reference listed on the attached Form PTO-1449.

The cited U.S. Pat. No. 4,007,680 relates to a gravure printing process. Applicants do not waive any right to take any action that would be appropriate to remove the listed document as a competent reference against the claims of the present application. The submission of this Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that no other material information may exist.

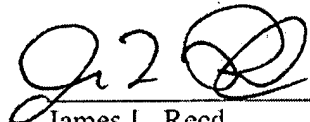
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